

28. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE
Allen OF Maine, OR HIS
DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES:

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1585, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. ALLEN OF MAINE**

At the end of title VII, add the following new section
(and conform the table of contents accordingly):

1 **SEC. 713. REPORT AND STUDY ON MULTIPLE VACCINA-**
2 **TIONS OF MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES.**

3 (a) **REPORT REQUIRED.**—Not later than 90 days
4 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
5 of Defense shall submit to the Committees on Armed Serv-
6 ices of the Senate and the House of Representatives a re-
7 port on the Department's policies for administering and
8 evaluating the vaccination of members of the Armed
9 Forces.

10 (b) **ELEMENTS.**—The report required by subsection
11 (a) shall include the following:

12 (1) An assessment of the Department's policies
13 governing the administration of multiple vaccina-
14 tions in a 24-hour period, including the procedures
15 providing for a full review of an individual's medical
16 history prior to the administration of multiple vac-
17 cinations, and whether such policies and procedures
18 differ for members of the Armed Forces on active
19 duty and members of reserve components.

1 (2) An assessment of how the Department's
2 policies on multiple vaccinations in a 24-hour period
3 conform to current regulations of the Food and
4 Drug Administration and research performed or
5 being performed by the Centers for Disease Control,
6 other non-military Federal agencies, and non-federal
7 institutions on multiple vaccinations in a 24-hour pe-
8 riod.

9 (2) An assessment of the Department's proce-
10 dures for initiating investigations of deaths of mem-
11 bers of the Armed Forces in which vaccinations may
12 have played a role, including whether such investiga-
13 tions can be requested by family members of the de-
14 ceased individuals.

15 (3) The number of deaths of members of the
16 Armed Forces since January 1, 2000, that the De-
17 partment has investigated for the potential role of
18 vaccine administration, including both the number of
19 deaths investigated that was alleged to have involved
20 more than one vaccine administered in a given 24-
21 hour period and the number of deaths investigated
22 that was determined to have involved more than one
23 vaccine administered in a given 24-hour period.

24 (4) An assessment of the procedures for pro-
25 viding the Adjutants General of the various States

1 and territories with up-to-date information on the ef-
2 fectiveness and potential allergic reactions and side
3 effects of vaccines required to be taken by National
4 Guard members.

5 (5) An assessment of whether procedures are in
6 place to provide that the Adjutants General of the
7 various States and territories retain updated medical
8 records of each National Guard member called up
9 for active duty.

10 (c) STUDY REQUIRED.—

11 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Defense
12 shall conduct a study, in consultation with the Food
13 and Drug Administration and the Centers for Dis-
14 ease Control, examining the safety and efficacy of
15 administering multiple vaccinations within a 24-hour
16 period to members of the Armed Forces.

17 (2) DEADLINE.—The study required by para-
18 graph (1) shall be completed not later than 270 days
19 after the date of the enactment of this Act and shall
20 be submitted to the Committees on Armed Services
21 of the Senate and the House of Representatives.